

PATENT APPLICATION

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 13, 2006, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages.

REMARKS

Claims 1-34 are all the claims pending in the application. No amendments have been made in this response.

Rejection of Claims 1 and 10-24 On The Grounds of Obviousness-Type Double Patenting

Claims 1 and 10-24 have been provisionally rejected on the grounds of non-statutory obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-15, 22, and 23 of